

2019 Germanic Graduate Student Association Conference

ENVIRONMENTANGLED

Keynote Address

“The Tangled Web: Alexander von Humboldt and the Anthropocene”



Caroline Schaumann
Emory University

DISCUSSION PANEL

“Environmental Entanglements
across the Disciplines”

Dr. May Mergenthaler
Germanic Languages and Literatures

Dr. Juno Parreñas
Women's Gender and Sexuality Studies

Dr. Sean Downey
Anthropology

Dr. Samuel White
History

Dr. Tristram McPherson
Philosophy

Dr. Joel Wainwright
Geography

February 22-23, 2019
The Ohio Union

Friday, February 22nd 1:15-6:45 pm
Saturday, February 23rd 9:15-4:00 pm
Location: Ohio Union, 2nd Floor,
Ohio Staters, Inc. Founders Room

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11TH CONFERENCE: GERMANIC GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION
Location: Ohio Union – Ohio Staters, Inc. Founders Room (see p. 3 for details)

KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Professor Caroline Schaumann
Emory University

Friday, February 22nd

1:15 pm

Welcome Coffee

Please pick up your name tags at the sign-in desk.

1:45 pm

Opening Remarks

Kassi Burnett, President of the Germanic Graduate Student Association

1:50 pm

Discussion Panel: Environmental Entanglements across the Disciplines

Dr. May Mergenthaler, Germanic Languages and Literatures

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Dr. Sean Downey, Anthropology

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Dr. Tristram McPherson, Philosophy

Dr. Joel Wainwright, Geography

Moderator: Dr. Bernd Fischer

3:15 pm

Refreshment Break

3:30 pm

Graduate Panel I: Surroundings

"Nonhuman Memory in Maja Haderlap's *Engel des Vergessens*"

Harrison Baldwin, The Ohio State University

"Volatile Elements in Goethe's *Faust Part One*"

Will Weihe, The Pennsylvania State University

Title to be Announced

Bill Baker, The Ohio State University

5:00 pm

Refreshment Break

5:15 pm

Keynote Address

"The Tangled Web: Alexander von Humboldt and the Anthropocene"

Dr. Caroline Schaumann, Emory University

6:45 pm

End of Friday Sessions

7:30 pm

Potluck

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Saturday, February 23rd

9:15 am

Breakfast

10:00 am

Workshop

"Coexist: Encounters with the Alien Environment"
Dr. Kevin Richards, The Ohio State University

11:00 am

Refreshment Break

11:15 am

Graduate Panel II:

"Trans-corporeality and Its Limits in Ingeborg Bachmann's 'Undine geht'"
Lisa Höller, University of Oregon

"Carl Amery's Writing as Political Tools"
Meaghann Dynes, University of Cincinnati

"Environmentality as Political Entanglement: Why We Should Talk about Climate Change the Way We Do Facism"
Max Chaoulideer, Yale University

12:45 pm

Lunch

2:00 pm

Environmentalism in Ohio

Sierra Club Ohio Chapter Conservation Manager, Elissa Yoder Mann

2:30 pm

Refreshment Break

2:45 pm

Undergraduate Panel

"Saxon-Switzerland's Most Beautiful Bridge"
Megan Wadas, The Ohio State University

"Character and Environment: The Influence of Nature upon the Character of Individuals in German Romantic Literature"
Peter Partoll, Hillsdale College

"Ecopoetry in Translation: Examples from Ulrike Almut Sandig's 'so habe ich sagen gehört'"
Hannah Bradley, The Ohio State University

3:45 pm

Closing Remarks

Dr. Bernd Fischer

Open to the public! No registration required! Refreshments provided!

Location: Second Floor of OSU's Ohio Union, "Ohio Staters, Inc. Founders Room"

